



Commission on Teacher Credentialing

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Office of the Executive Director

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David P. Lopez, President
National Hispanic University
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Dear President Lopez:

I am writing to inform you that on April 15, 2010, the Committee on Accreditation, on behalf of the Commission on Teacher Credentialing, assigned the status of *Accreditation with Major Stipulations* to National Hispanic University and all of its credential programs.

Following are the stipulations to be met:

- The university must assure that every intern is supervised by a university supervisor during the entire internship.
 - There must be the establishment of collaborative partnerships with major stakeholders actively involved in the organization, coordination, and governance of all professional preparation programs.
 - The university must create a unit assessment plan that is articulated with the different program assessment processes to inform systematic program improvement and resource allocation.
 - The university must develop and implement a uniform system of professional development for field supervisors and master teachers that is based on regular and systematic evaluation.
 - The revisit must provide updated information on all standards that are less than fully met.
1. On the basis of this decision, the institution is authorized to recommend candidates for the following Credentials:
- Multiple Subject
 - Multiple Subject Credential
 - Multiple Subject Internship
 - Multiple Subject BCLAD (Spanish)
 - Clear Multiple Subject Credential
 - Single Subject
 - Single Subject Credential
 - Single Subject Internship
 - Single Subject BCLAD (Spanish)

Clear Single Subject Credential

- California Teachers of English Learners (CTEL) Certificate
- Education Specialist Credentials
Preliminary Level I
Mild to Moderate Disabilities

2. In addition:

- The institution's response to the preconditions is accepted.
- National Hispanic University is not permitted to propose new credential programs for approval by the Committee on Accreditation, but may submit a program proposal for the Bilingual Authorization program which is an update to their current BCLAD program.
- National Hispanic University continues in its assigned cohort on the schedule of accreditation activities, subject to the continuation of the present schedule of accreditation activities by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.
- A re-visit by the Team Lead and staff consultant is to be scheduled within one year of the date of this action by the Committee on Accreditation. The revisit team is to provide updated information on all standards that were less than fully met at the time of the initial site visit.

Should you or your staff have any questions relating to this action, you may address them to Teri Clark, Administrator of Accreditation, at (916) 323-5917.

The Commission and its staff are grateful to National Hispanic University for its commitment to the preparation of professional educators.

Sincerely,

Dale A. Janssen
Executive Director

cc: Neva Hofemann, Chair
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